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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/461,265  
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Applicant: Neil Mason  
Group Art Unit: 3724  
Examiner: Charles Goodman  
Title: AN ARRANGEMENT FOR CLAMPING A SAW BLADE  
Attorney Docket: CS1061#SP  
(HD&P Docket No. 0275S-500763)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 6, 2001, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please add the following heading on page 1 before the first paragraph on this page of the application:

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

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